



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 230

LCO No. 1672



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:

SEN. FASANO, 34th Dist.

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**AN ACT CONCERNING THE FUNDS AND RECORDS OF THE
UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT FOUNDATION.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 47 of the general statutes be amended to provide that
- 2 any foundation, as defined in section 4-37e of the general statutes, that
- 3 is established for The University of Connecticut (1) is subject to the
- 4 provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, as defined in section 1-
- 5 200 of the general statutes, except that such foundation may withhold
- 6 the identity of any donor who requests such nondisclosure in writing;
- 7 (2) is permitted to use funds of the foundation only for (A)
- 8 scholarships or other direct financial aid, and (B) programs, services or
- 9 activities at one or more of the institutions under its jurisdiction; and
- 10 (3) is required to be self-sustaining and is prohibited from receiving
- 11 any funds from The University of Connecticut.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase transparency and accountability for the activities of The
University of Connecticut Foundation.